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¶1. (C) We delivered reftel demarche on September 3 to Minister Counselor Sanja Kenig-Corovic, MFA Head of Department for the UN and other International Organizations. Ms. Kenig-Corovic informed us that her government would take a position on each of the human rights issues addressed by the UNGA Third Committee shortly before they are voted upon. She stated that Bosnia's final position on Third Committee issue would take the U.S. view into serious consideration, but would also be heavily influenced by the European Union position. Ms. Kenig-Corovic told us that Bosnia had taken a neutral position on the Defamation of Religions issue in the OIC and would likely remain neutral in the Third Committee.

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